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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir or Madame:

The Office Action dated June 24, 2009 has been carefully considered. Claims 1 and 3-27 are active and pending in this application. Further examination and reconsideration of the rejections of the pending claims are respectfully requested.

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and a Petition for Extension of Time are currently filed herewith.

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Applicants currently file herewith a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

The appropriate fees under 37 CFR §1.17 are submitted herewith.